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ALTIMAR ROCHA

Altimar Rocha is a visual artist, whose work focuses on memory, black culture and emotional relationships. His works investigate cultural erasure and the reconnection with one's origins through symbolic materials and empirical processes. He is currently developing projects that dialogue with identity, ancestry and resistance.



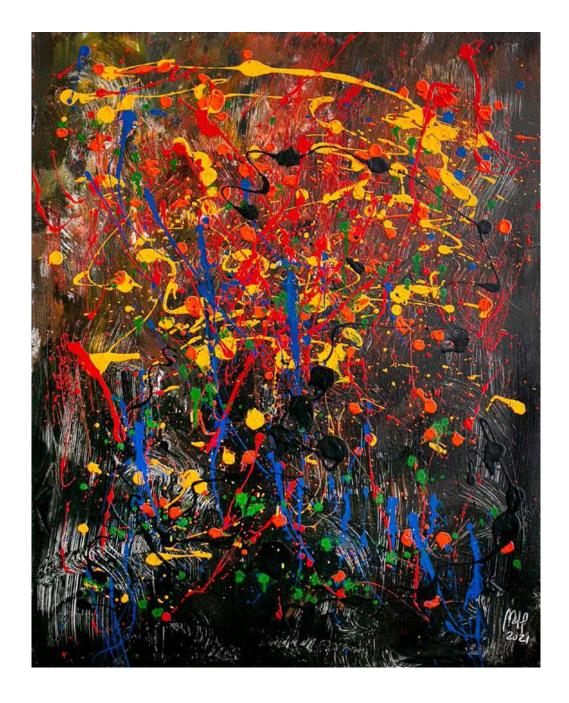
Entre mundos Acrylic on canvas 220 x 150 cm



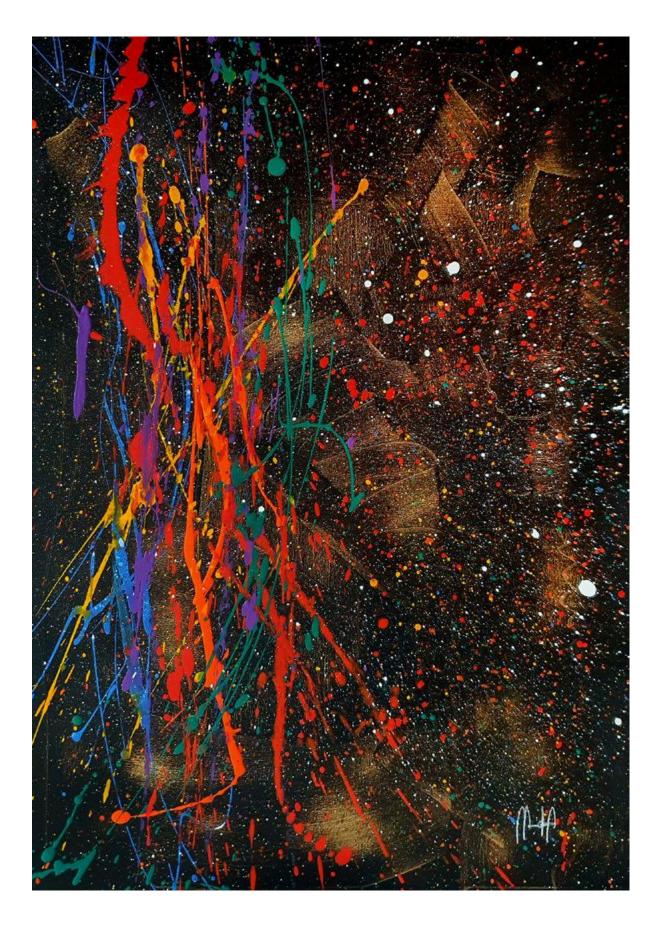
Autofobia Acrylic on canvas 120 x 90 cm

ANDERSON PERIN

Anderson Perin, a self-taught artist from Pato Branco/PR, uses art to express human feelings. His works with striking colors are referenced in Action Paint and in Nietzsche's philosophical thought. He has participated in exhibitions in Brazil, Chile, Portugal, Spain, Italy and France (Carrousel du Louvre - Paris). He received a certificate of merit from the Pinacothèque de Luxembourg in 2022 and 2023.



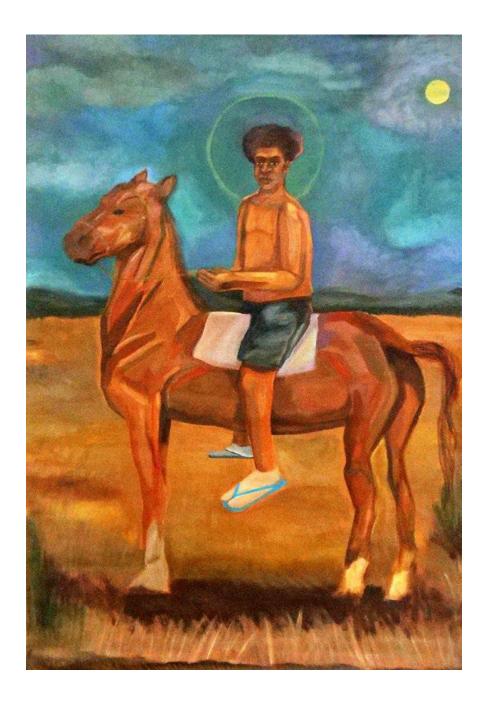
Sinapses - Drama e Intensidade, 2021 Acrylic on canvas 100 x 80 cm



Dúvidas Cotidianas, 2023 Acrylic on canvas 60 x 40 cm

BRUNO HENRIQUE DE SOUZA

Visual artist, born in 2001 in the Tejuco neighborhood in São João del Rei - MG. Using different creative supports for his paintings, he engages with issues of Afro-Brazilian ancestry and everyday life. A recent graduate in Architecture and Urbanism (UFSJ), he has participated in group and individual exhibitions in the states of MG, RJ and SP, also developing exhibition projects and assemblies.



O retorno do Anjo de Chinelo e meia, 2023 Acrylic on canvas 85 x 115 cm



Sentinela, 2023 Acrylic on canvas 100 x 160 cm

ENZO ARCAD

Enzo Arcad, born in São Paulo in 2003, where he lives and works, has a bachelor's degree in Visual Arts from FEBASP, and currently works as a visual artist in São Paulo. His artistic production is plural, encompassing photography, drawings, paintings and ceramics in urban settings. His works explore the writing of visual codes, referring to the beginnings of humanity and transforming it into an authorial style of writing.



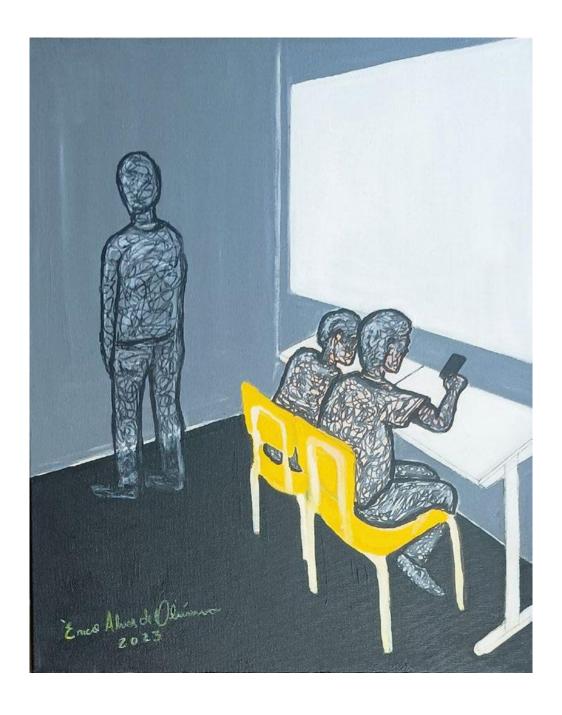
"Fragmentações mundanas". 2024 Print on transparent vinyl adhesive on acrylic plate fixed to wood 31 x 30,2 cm



A Presença, 2024 Ceramic/terracotta clay installation 2,6 x 1,65 x 0,05 m

ÈRICO ALVES DE OLÍVEIRA

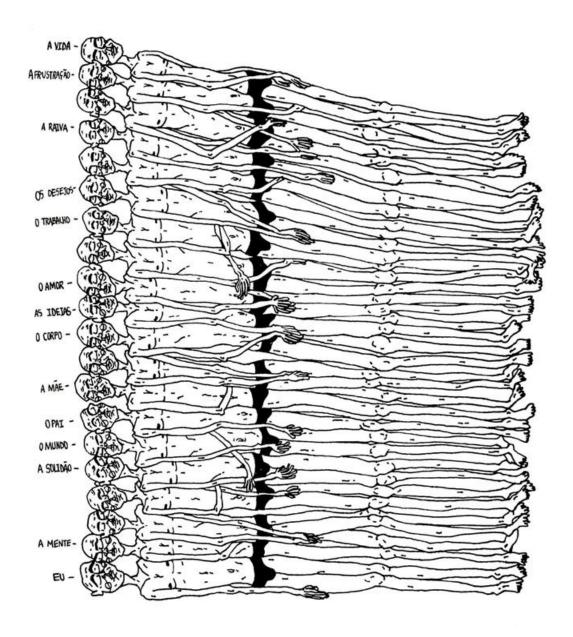
Èrico Alves de Olíveira is a Brazilian visual artist, illustrator and art educator. His work is characterized by a critical view of education, particularly the challenges faced in the Brazilian school system. His artistic career spans more than three decades. Èrico's art often reflects his personal experiences as an educator, using strong symbolic elements.



"Sem título" from the series "Escola". Mixed technique on canvas 40 x 50 cm

FABIANO MILAN

A visual artist and teacher, he lives in Modelo/SC. He has a degree in Visual Arts and a specialization in Art Education. He researches and develops works with an interest in the construction of personal identities. He uses a variety of languages to construct records and narratives. Highlights: virtual and urban exhibition Museu: Arte na Quarentena and award at the Prêmio Funarte Respirarte/Artes Visuais.



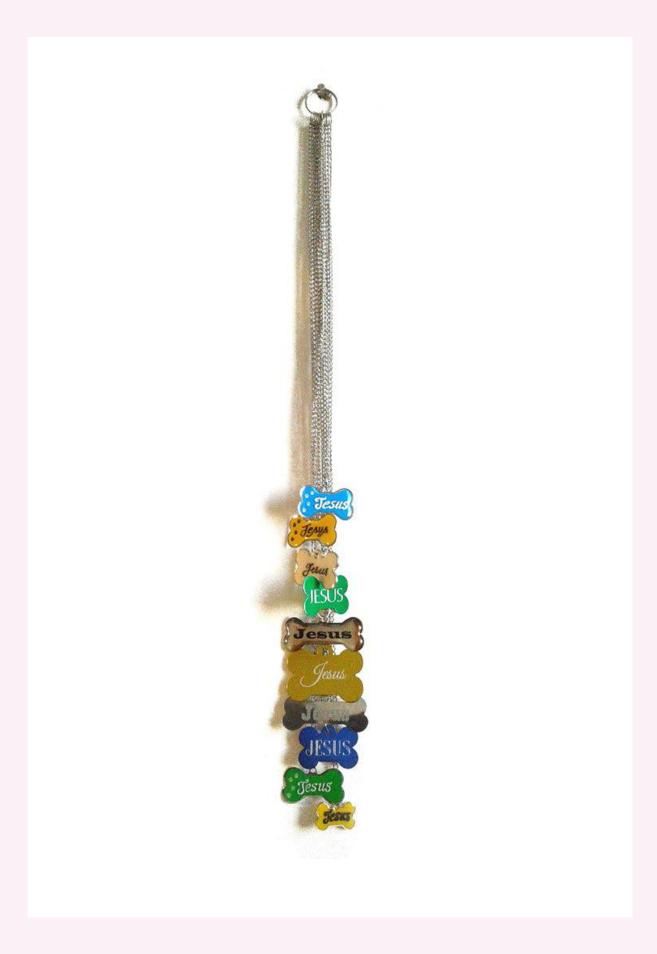
Desenhos psicológicos Ink on paper 42 x 29,7 cm

FLÁVIO ABUHAB

Flávio Abuhab was born in Santos and has lived and worked in São Paulo since the 1980s. Master in Visual Arts from UNESP, in the research line "Artistic Processes and Procedures". Professor, visual artist and researcher, he has participated in group and solo exhibitions in Brazil and abroad, and has works in Public Collections and Private Collections.



Clássico (Tribute to Nelson Leirner), 2013 Polychrome plaster 300 X 2.10 cm



Mondo Cane, 2019 Engraved Metals and Resins 50 X 5.5 cm

FRANCC NETO

"I am a poet, writer and visual artist with a degree in Philosophy from UFPB and PUC-SP. My work moves between the grotesque and the sublime, combining philosophical reflection, poetry and visual arts. I taught at the Dulcina de Morais School of Arts and participated in exhibitions that explore the sensorial and the transcendental, always questioning the limits of contemporary creation."



Sutura do Vermelho, 2024 Oil, pigments, carnauba wax and wire on canvas 90 x 90 x 4 cm



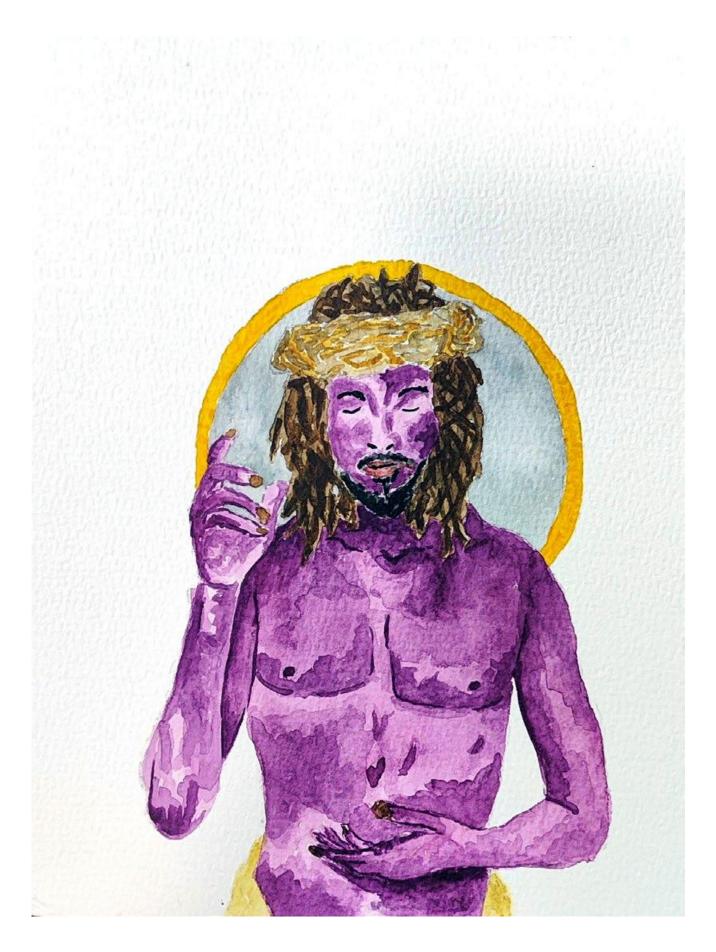
Câmara do Silêncio, 2024 Painted iron, canvas and pigments Maquete, 80 x 50 x 40 cm

GAEL ROCHA

Gael Rocha is a visual artist living in the city of Vitória, Espírito Santo. He holds a bachelor's degree in Fine Arts from the Federal University of Espírito Santo (UFES). He has been active in the artistic scene since 2021, through the poetic construction of stories that bring together his memories, resistance, ancestry, and denunciations against the hidden racism in Brazilian society.



Nossas Origens, 2024 Gouache on paper 24 x 32 cm



Cristo, 2024Watercolor on paper 15.2 x 20.3 cm

GAB

Gabriella Fonseca (GAB) was born in Santo Antonio de Jesus-BA, in the Bahian Recôncavo region, and currently lives in Salvador. Her history with art began in childhood when she began to see the world decompressed while swimming in the sea. A few years later she created the concept project Descomprimidos, from which she draws inspiration for her paintings and other art that she produces.



Longevidade, 2024 Mixed technique on canvas 60 x 60 cm

J.R. HELIOS

Born in Pernambuco, J.R. Helios is a multidisciplinary artist. His works explore the surreal and the fantastic, creating magical worlds where he addresses themes ranging from spirituality to the human psyche. With a bachelor's degree and technical degree in visual arts from IFPE, his work has been exhibited at MAMAM and Museu Casa de Portinari. "In a fantastic world, we can be free to show our true essence."



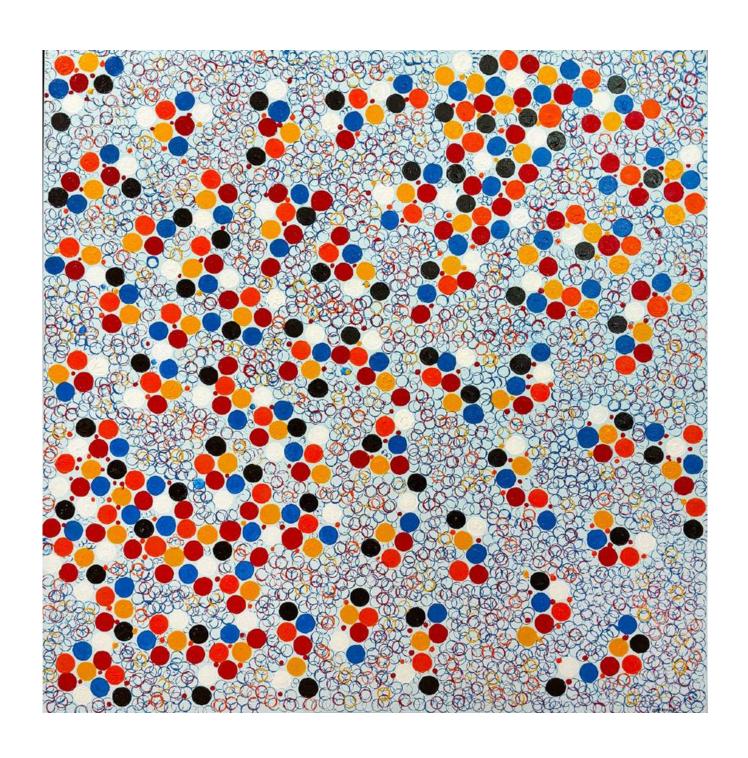
From the serie: Transmigração - Alquimista. 2024 Mixed media: Oil and gold leaf on canvas 30 x 40 cm

GERMANO

"My name is Germano, I am 80 years old, and I was an executive in the financial market for 50 years. Although I did not study Fine Arts, I took classes with Di Cavalcanti in my youth. At the age of 75, I began painting and photographing, creating a DNA in abstract painting and the photography project "Nuances of Nature". My works have been exhibited in Brazil and abroad, with a highlight in New York, fulfilling a late-in-life dream."



butterfly Acrylic on canvas 100 x 70 cm



Réveillon Acrylic on canvas 80 x 80 cm

ISABELLE NOGUEIRA

An artist from Paraná, graduated in physiotherapy, fashion design, visual arts, and sociology. She focuses on social issues with a focus on childhood, exalting diversity, inclusion, and sustainability in art. Through drawing and painting in different media and techniques, her works reflect racial and social diversity and have been part of collective and individual exhibitions in Curitiba-Pr.



Yvoty, a flor que brota da terra, 2023 Mixed technique on paper (watercolor, gouache, dry and oil pastel, colored pencils and markers) 42 x 59 cm



A Rainha da Nação, 2022 Mixed technique on paper (watercolor, gouache, dry and oil pastel, colored pencils and markers) 50 x 67 cm

JOÃO PAULO PAIXÃO

João Paulo Paixão (Avaré, SP, 1996) is a visual artist who explores the intersections between memory, materiality and the body, combining drawing, sculpture and collage. Graduated from Belas Artes (2022) and participant of the OMA Laboratory (2023), he held the solo exhibitions "O Coração da Madeira" (2023) and "Caminhos" (2022), was part of prominent group shows and published in the magazines Zupi and Têmpera (2024).



Matéria e Memória II Reclaimed wood and glue 81 x 62 x 56 cm



Matéria e Memória I Reclaimed wood and glue 92 x 57 x 32 cm

JOSEMAR BLURES DE SOUZA DIAS

Mar is an artist from Salvador, Brazil, and a PhD student in the Postgraduate Program in Visual Arts-PPGAV, at the School of Fine Arts-EBA of UFBA. He researches and creates intriguing visual experiences that question his relationship with the past, opening space for another narrative beyond suffering. His process is diverse, connective and necessary for a new approach to reading and learning in art/life.



Relicário de infância Clay sculpture and photography 20 x 10 x 5 cm



Obra do tempoInstallation: clay sculpture and photographic fragments $50 \times 30 \times 7$ cm

LAURA ALKMÍM

Laura Alkmím, 20, is a visual artist born and resident in Belo Horizonte. She is currently a graduate student in Visual Arts (bachelor's degree in painting) at the School of Fine Arts at UFMG. In her research, she investigates human relationships and, through pictorial experiments with different techniques and materials, proposes contemplation and reflection on the themes of affection and (dis)memory.



Seus pensamentos tem a cor da água, 2024 Watercolor on Montval paper 56 x 76 cm

30LHOS

30lhos, a publicist from Santa Catarina and a researcher of sound ceramics, explores the dislocations and estrangements of humans and their modern relationships in works that combine poetry and sound. His works have been featured in the group exhibitions "As Duas Faces de Exu" (Cris Marcos), in Rio de Janeiro, and in two editions of the exhibition "Eu=Barro" at the Casa da Cultura Fausto Rocha Júnior, in Joinville - SC.

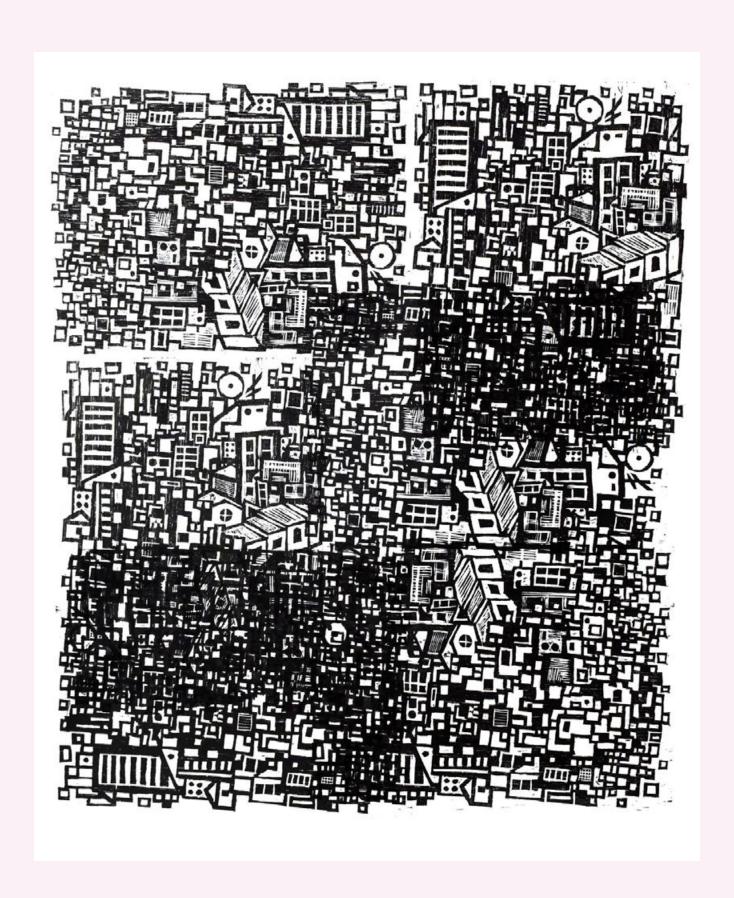


Fôlego Caboclo, 2024 Ivory mass and ceramic glazes, with inlaid agate stone chips 19 x 19,5 x 10,2 cm

LUCAS SAKAI

Lucas Sakai is a visual artist born in São Paulo, the capital, where he still lives. He explores the power of graphic language as a basis for the creative process, relating it to other means of production such as drawing, painting, and sculpture. He seeks to capture a fragment of the experience of living human beings in the city, where he appropriates the picturesque urban scenery.





LUIZ QUEIROZ

Luiz Queiroz, photographer, lived in London and Milan. He learned from Oliviero Toscani and Bert Stern how to develop an eye for the subtleties of light, shadows, and angles. He worked in advertising, fashion, and portraits, with advertising agencies and magazines in Brazil and Milan. He has had group exhibitions such as the Vitória de Gasteiz exhibition, Spain, and four solo exhibitions, including at the Pinacoteca de São Bernardo do Campo.



Procura, 2024Print on Hahnemühle Fine Art paper
50 x 38 cm



Tomie, 2024Print on Hahnemühle Fine Art paper
50 x 38 cm

MARCOS FÉLIX

A native of Brasília, he is a musician and textile artist. With exhibitions in Brasília, São Paulo, Rio de Janeiro, Paris, Varkaus, and Osaka, his work has aesthetic power. The textile medium brings a break in expectations, enhancing the viewer's experience. His technique gains three-dimensionality and builds forms through a means different from the paint-and-brush duo.



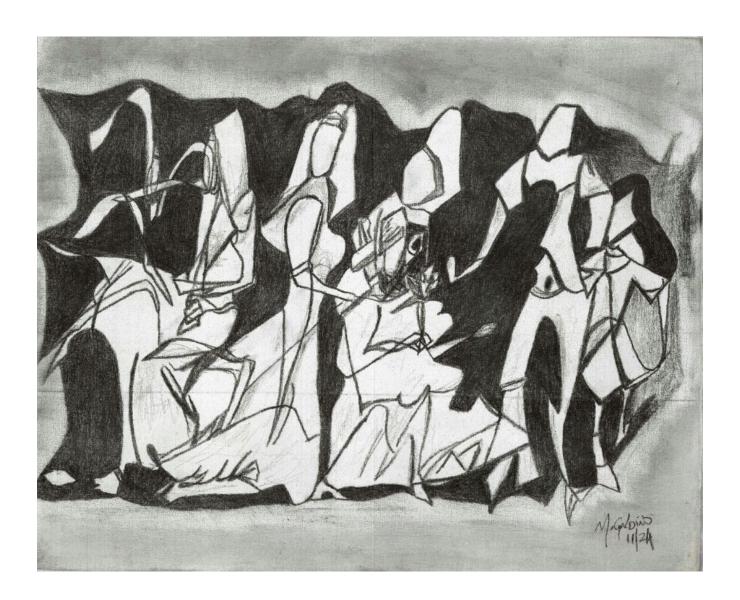
Habanera, 2022 Textile art 50 x 50 cm



Huaca del Sol, 2024 Textile art 70 x 70 cm

MARCOS GALDINO

Marcos Galdino, a 52-year-old multi-artist from São Paulo, has lived in Aracaju, Sergipe, since 2018. Autistic, self-taught, and recognized for his versatility, he works in the visual arts, photography, theater, music, cinema, and dance, bringing the uniqueness of his perspective to each work. In the visual arts, after years of experimentation and creative maturation, he developed his own techniques and style.



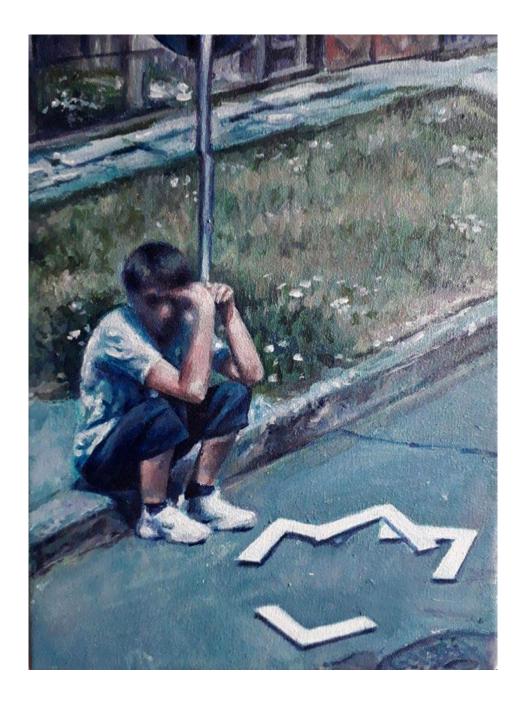
Robe de Mariée (Vestido de Noiva), 2024 - Série: "Inconsciente" HB graphite and oil on cotton canvas 40 x 50 cm



Mulheres de Véu, 2024 - Série: "Inconsciente" Authorial technique, mixed with resin and oil pigments 40 x 50 cm

MARINA VIEIRA PRUDENCIO

Marina Prudencio (Porto Alegre, 1996), graduated in Visual Arts from UFRGS, is a visual artist who focuses especially on acrylic painting, but also on graphite drawing and occasionally other media. Her pictorial and graphic language, typically figurative, tends to focus on themes of urban life, introspection, and visual metalanguage.



Cena de Sfântu Gheorghe, Romênia, no Google Maps Street View pelo GeoGuessr (Série Transeuntes), 2018

Acrylic on canvas
20 x 15 cm

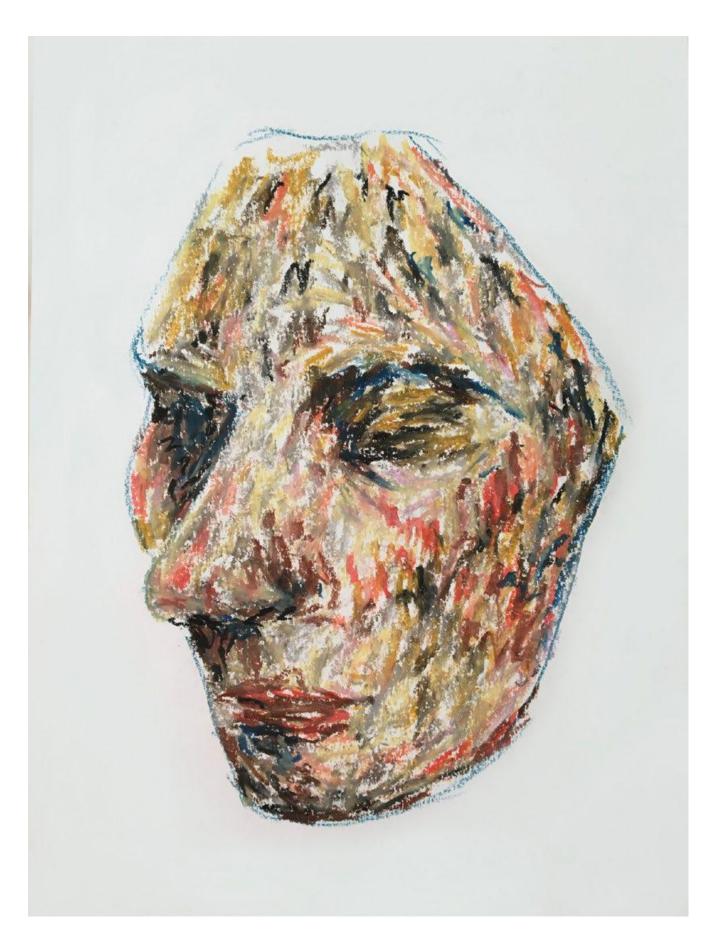


NATALIA GASSNER

Natalia Gassner, born in Bauru-SP, is a visual artist with a degree in teaching from UFMS who works with conventional and digital media to investigate the possibilities of drawing. In her most recent studies, she draws with wool and embroidery, exploring a vibrant color palette to reflect on time, belonging, and memory.



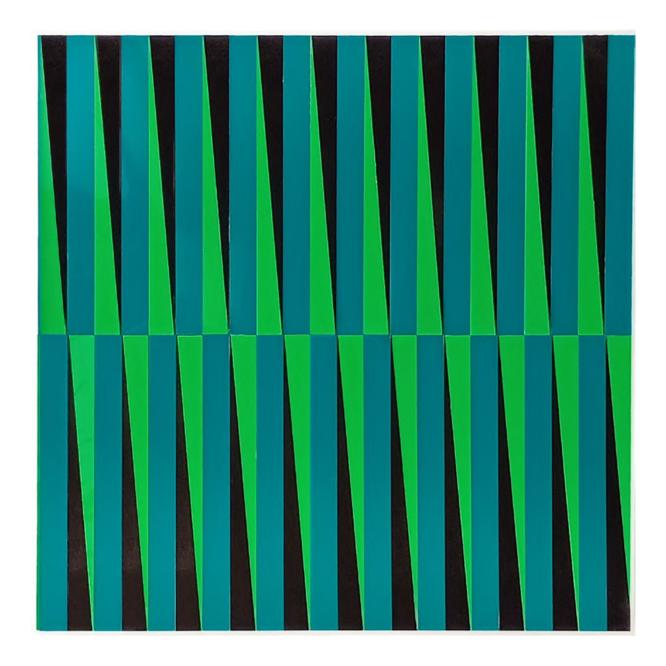
Deslocável, 2022 Digital drawing 2048 x 2048 px



Untitled , from the series 'Retratos de Uma Solidão Urbana", 2021 Oil pastel on paper 29,7 x 21 cm

OLAVO TENÓRIO

Olavo Tenório, a multidisciplinary artist from Paraná who lives in São Paulo, explores the boundaries between art and design. His works combine sculpture, kinetic art, and constructive geometry, with wood, light, and technology. A collaborator of Swarovski and an exhibitor at Funarte and Salão Bunkyo, Olavo seeks to reveal the essence of materials and establish a sensorial dialogue with the observer.



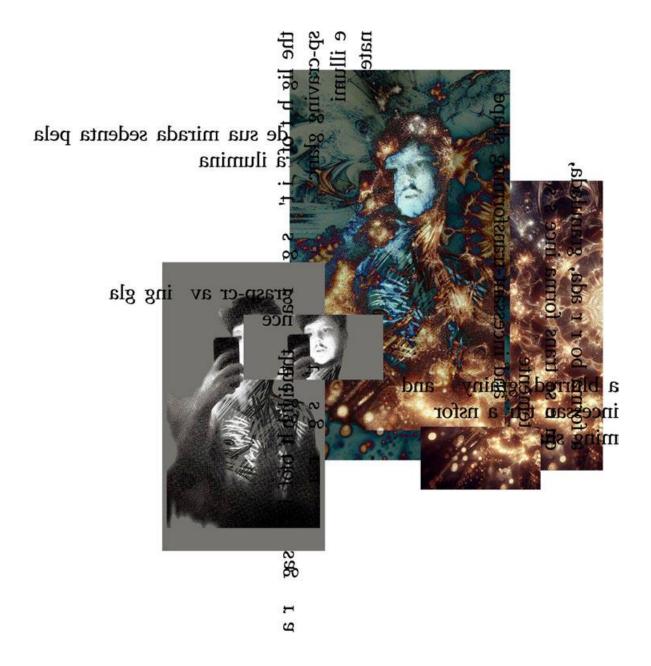
Sequência em Verde, 2021 Acrylic plates cut and glued on MDF 49 x 49 x 3 cm



Círculos Excêntricos, 2021 Acrylic plates cut and glued on MDF 40 x 40 x 3 cm

PEDRO DAVID

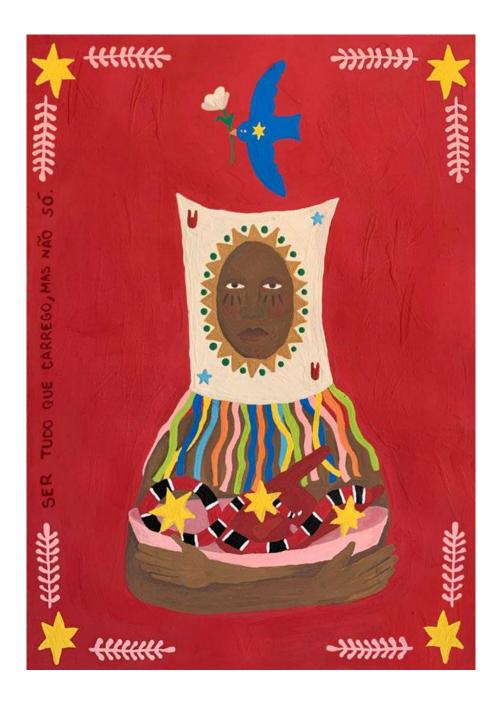
Pedro David - whose artistic name is Pedro Viadd - is a professor-researcher-artist from the interior of São Paulo and creates around this multiple experience. This overlapping of areas is a great influence on his works, which explore the autobiographical universe and the field between arts and new technologies. Thus, in 2024, he published articles, participated in conferences, was a curator, and exhibited in São Paulo and Rio de Janeiro.



"the light of it's grasp-craving glance illuminates a blurred, grainy and incessant-transforming shape" from the series "EuEuzinhoEudnv(1)", 2024 Acetate prints of mixed technique digital collage affixed to an acrylic piece 29,7 x 23 x 45 cm

PEDRO SÍLVIO CAMPOS

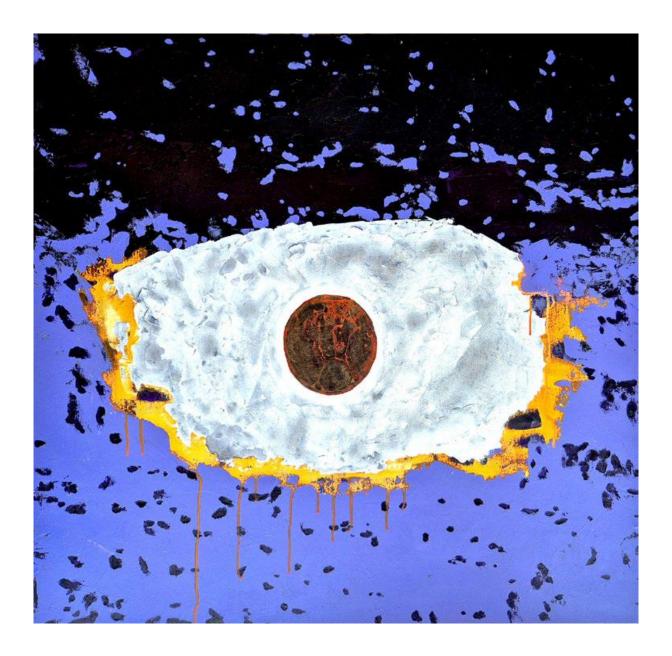
Pedro Sílvio Campos, a self-taught and multiplatform artist from Belo Horizonte, explores painting and sculpture as means of translating memories and the imaginary. Influenced by Brazilian folk art, his work investigates masking as a cultural, creative, and metaphorical object. With vibrant colors and playful textures, Pedro creates narratives that celebrate a rural, religious, and cultural Brazil.



Ser tudo que carrego, mas não só - 2024 Acrylic on Markatto 300G paper 21 x 29,7 cm

RENATA TOLEDO

Renata Toledo, from São Paulo, is a visual artist studying painting at the Brazilian Academy of Art, where she participated in exhibitions in 2023/2024. Her work moves between abstract and contemporary art, standing out for the use of vibrant colors and the tactile richness of her compositions. Her art ranges from the universe of geometric shapes to the intensity of human emotions and experiences.



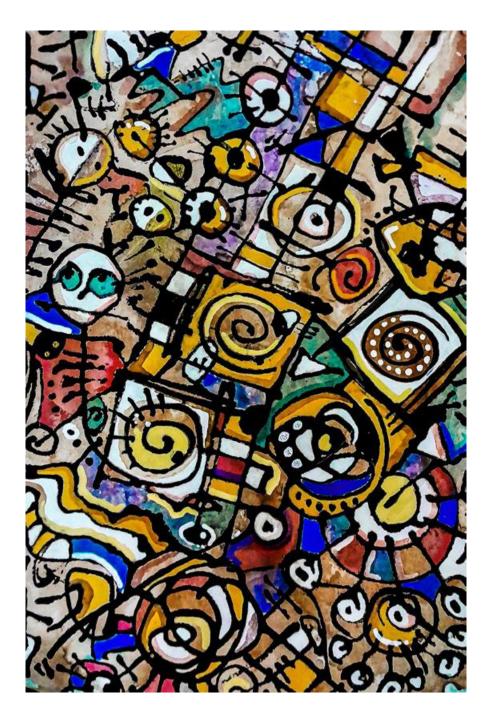
Sense, 2024 Acrylic paint and multipurpose marker on canvas 90 x 90 cm



Solidão, 2024 Acrylic on canvas 60 x 60 cm

R.KOVACS

R. Kovacs was born in 1967 in São Paulo, Lapa. This self-taught artist illuminates the art scene with his multifaceted skills. From drawing to sculpture, including screen printing, woodcuts, collage, and much more, his creations reflect a diverse palette of techniques. Photography is also an integral part of his creations, enriching his portfolio.



Transfigures, 2023 Painting and digital editing 70 x 120 cm



O Limbo, 2024Mixed painting and digital editing 80 x 115 cm

ROGER MONTEIRO

Roger Monteiro has a degree in Literature and a postgraduate degree in Philosophy, Visual Arts, and Art History. His work deals with urban themes, pop culture, rock'n'roll, punk aesthetics, and industrial image production processes. He is an enthusiast of doubt and is interested in everything that is inappropriate and marginalized. He is married to the beautiful Olívia and rides an old motorcycle called Lady Luck.



Il Pagliaccio (da série Commedia Dell'Arte), 2024 Digital print on Canson Photo Lustre paper 100 x 100 cm



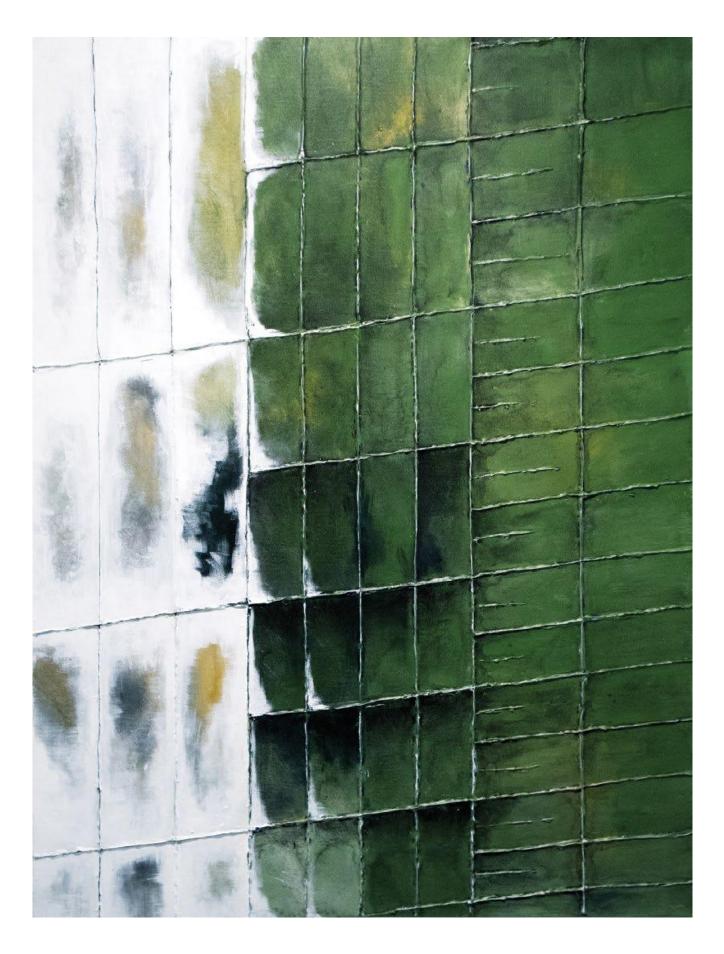
La Colombina (da série Commedia Dell'Arte), 2024 Digital print on Canson Photo Lustre paper 100 x 100 cm

SIMONE SARMET

Simone Sarmet is a native of Brasília and researches the use of satellite images as a means of exploring the materiality of different locations around the world, transposing them onto acrylic canvases using mixed media. Her work has been presented in exhibitions in Brazil and abroad, such as 'OPEN' at the deYoung Museum in San Francisco in 2020 and the solo exhibition at the Esplanada dos Ministérios in Brasília in 2022.



S/T, 2022 Acrylic on canvas, mixed technique 75 x 120 cm



ST, 2024 Acrylic on canvas, mixed technique 120 x 75 cm

THAIS BORDUCCHI

Thais Borducchi investigates the theme of fatphobia, using different techniques to explore both issues involving the prejudice faced by fat women and the importance of celebrating their unique shapes. The visual artist has participated in group shows, bringing voluptuous shapes and prominent volumes to her works that represent the exuberance and diversity of bodies.



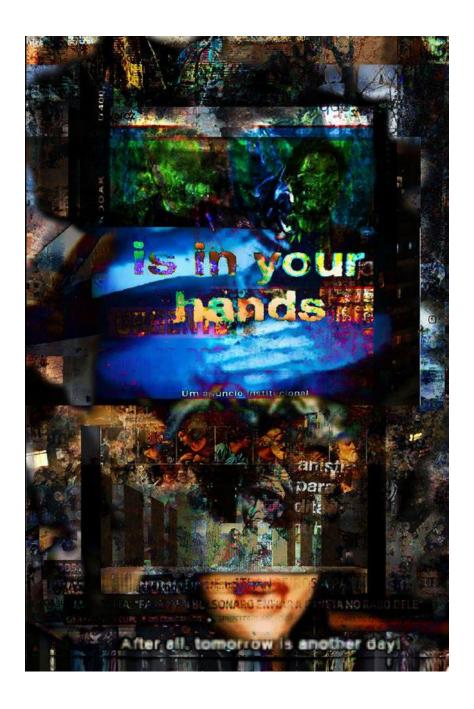
Sem título, 2023 Fabric paint, pantyhose and silicone fiber Various dimensions



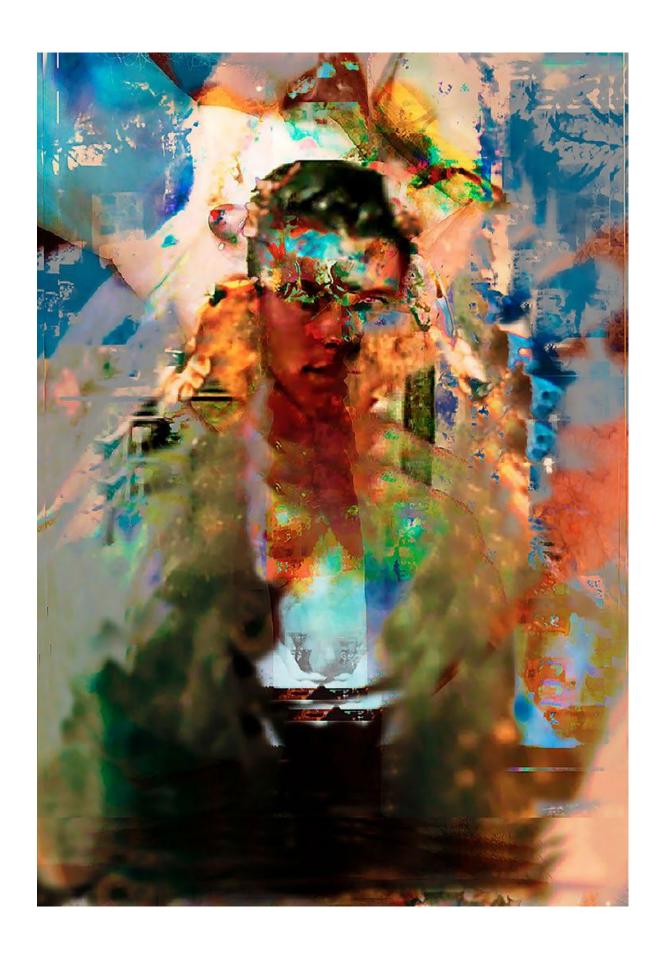
Farta, 2024
Fabric, silicone fiber and fabric paint
150 x 70 x 50 cm

THIAGO PRADO

Thiago Prado is a multi-artist, a communications specialist by training, and a postgraduate in Cinema. Awarded by the Museu Casa de Portinari (2024) and the 10th International Visual Arts Salon SINAP/ AIAP (2020), he is also a film award winner for his documentary *"Olhar Nisete Sampaio"* - about the renowned master. He has participated in exhibitions in France, England, Italy, Portugal, Finland, Mexico, and Chile.



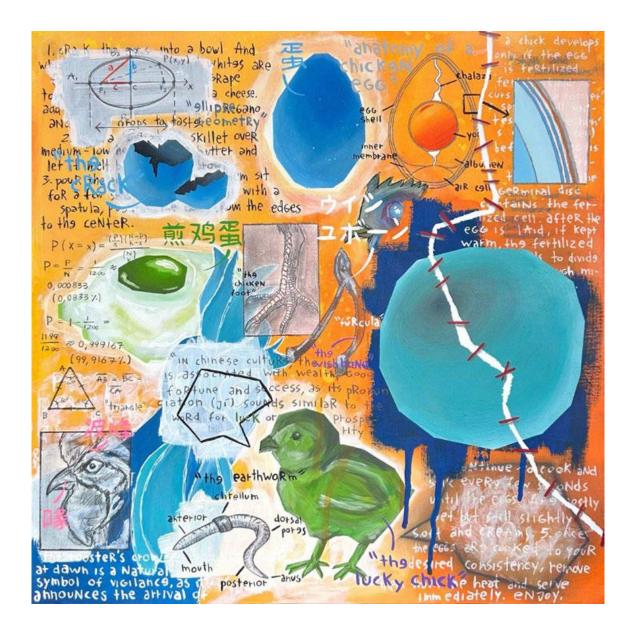
Em tuas mãos (7/4/1926), 2021 Digital art printed on Hahnemühle paper 60 x 40 cm



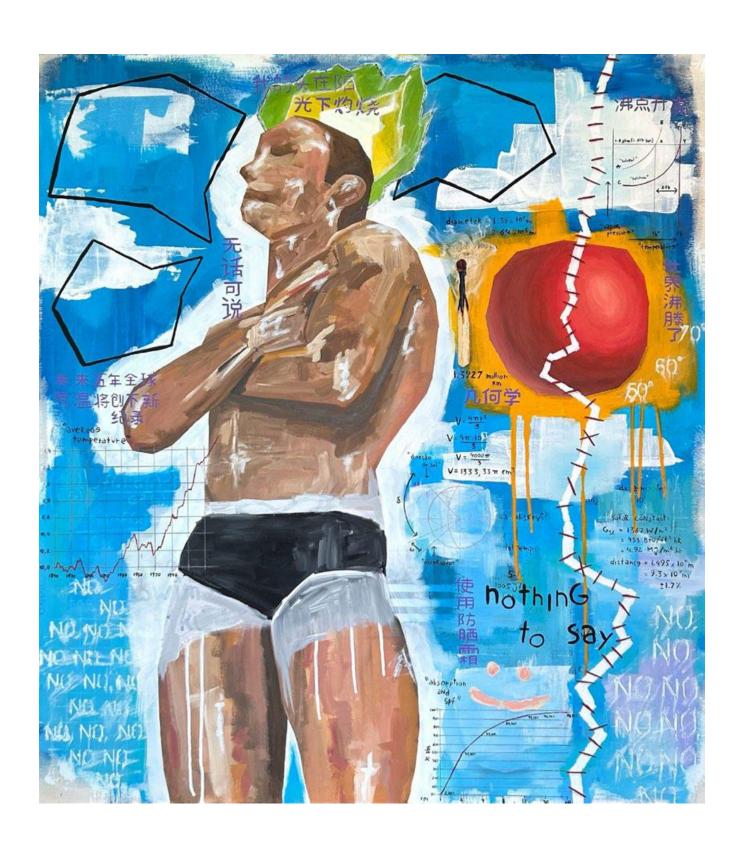
Mon ami Ridgeston, 2022 Digital art printed on Hahnemühle paper 120 x 80 cm

VINI

Vini is a self-taught artist from Brusque, who reconnected with art after volunteering in Hawaii in 2023. Determined to make a living from art, he has already exhibited in São Paulo and has works in more than four countries. His work combines varied techniques and cultural influences, creating pieces that reflect his journey of self-discovery and connection. His works are visually striking and emotionally profound.



PEW, 2024
Mixed media on canvas (acrylic, graphite, permanent marker and correction fluid)
50 x 50 cm



Ponto de ebulição, 2024 Mixed media on canvas (acrylic, graphite, permanent marker and correction fluid) 80 x 90 cm

ZANOTTO

Zanotto, a visual artist from Curitiba, explores in large formats, using mixed media, the nuances of difficulties, fears, and anxieties that permeate life. In a country where making a living from art is a $challenge, his work inspires \ by \ showing \ how \ art \ can \ save-first \ oneself, then \ those \ who \ observe \ it. \ His$ work is an invitation to introspection and rebirth.

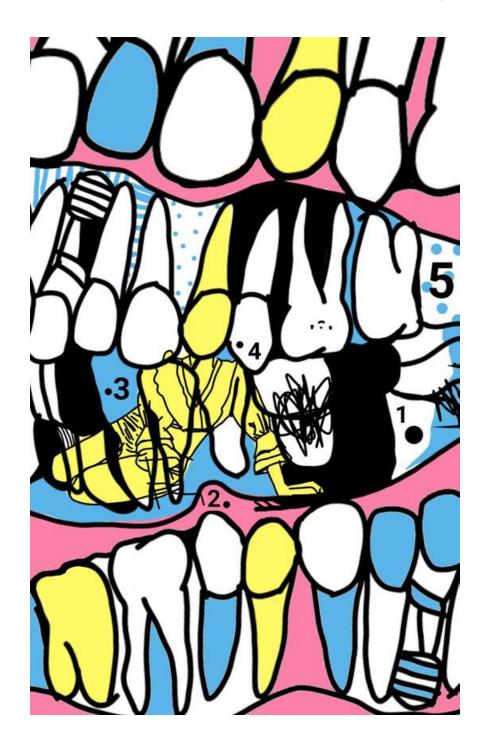


O preço do silêncio, 2024 Mixed media on canvas 130 x 130 cm



ROSANA OLIVEIRA

Rosana Oliveira was born in Lavras and moved to Belo Horizonte in 2015. She is a graphic artist and art educator graduated from UFMG. She investigates memories and objects from her childhood, catalogs imaginary beings by developing sewing, drawings, collages, and mobile frames. Her last exhibition was in 2023 at the ilustraDELAS show at Pátio Metrô São Bento in São Paulo, lasting one year.



Mordida, 2023 Digital drawing

